



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

First Named Inventor: MASHBURN, LARRY E.

Art Unit: 1771

Appln. No.: 10/059,278

Examiner: C. Juska

Filed: January 31, 2002

Confirmation No.: 5374

For: CARPET BACKINGS PREPARED FROM
VEGETABLE OIL-BASED POLYURETHANES

* * *

AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST
FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further in response to the Final Official Letter and the advisory action dated April, 13, 2006, please reconsider the application in light of the following remarks and attachments hereto.